FOOD PURCHASE REPORT

United States
Department of
Agriculture

Agricultural Marketing Service

DATE: June 14, 2000

USDA BUYS: FROZEN COOKED DICED CHICKEN; ENDS PROGRAM

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) today purchased 280,000 pounds of frozen cooked diced chicken at a cost of approximately \$546,000 for school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Details of today's purchase follow:

Product	Pounds Accepted	Award Prices Inv. No. 017	No. of Bids Accepted
diced chicken	280,000	\$1.9250-\$1.9819	2 of 3

It was also announced that the purchase program for diced chicken is now complete.

Total purchases of frozen cooked diced chicken since the program was announced July 6, 1999, follow:

Product	Cumulative Pounds	Cumulative Dollars
diced chicken	14,360,000	\$25,971,000
diced chicken *produced from light fow	3,200,000 1 *	\$6,241,000

Inquiries may be made by telephoning (202) 720-7693 or addressing the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260, P.O. Box 96456, Washington, D.C. 20090-6456. An electronic version of this food purchase report can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at: http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp.

The awards for frozen cooked diced chicken made today under Announcement PY-229, Invitation 017, to be delivered Aug. 1 to Aug. 15, follow:

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY229

COMM GROUP : CHICKEN, FROZEN

INVITATION : 017

COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN, DICED, FROZEN

PACK SIZE : 40 LB CTN

CONTRACTOR NAME: ALL-STATES QUALITY FOODS, INC.

PLANT ADDRESS : CHARLES CITY IA

ITEM	DESTINATION		QUANTITY	PF	RICE PER
NUM	CITY	ST	(LBS)	(LB)
005	LUBBOCK	TX	40,000	\$	1.9250
006	SAN ANTONIO	TX	40,000	\$	1.9250

TOTAL AWARDED: 80,000

CONTRACTOR NAME: VALLEY FRESH, INC. PLANT ADDRESS : TURLOCK CA

ITEM	DESTINATION		QUANTITY	PR	ICE PER
NUM	CITY	ST	(LBS)	(LB)	
010	CLEARFIELD	UT	30,000	\$	1.9650
	LARAMIE	WY	10,000	\$	1.9650

PLANT ADDRESS : TALMO GA

ITEM	DESTINATION		QUANTITY	PR	ICE PER
NUM	CITY	ST	(LBS)	(LB)
001	MOBILE	AL	10,000	\$	1.9638
	WINTER HAVEN	FL	30,000	\$	1.9638
003	BATON ROUGE	LA	40,000	\$	1.9419
004	CORPUS CHRISTI	TX	40,000	\$	1.9574
009	BISMARCK	ND	20,000	\$	1.9819
	SIOUX FALLS	SD	20,000	\$	1.9819

TOTAL AWARDED: 200,000

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